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FOR: Process for Making Mycophenolate Mofetil by  
Transesterification

Attn: G. A. U. 1626

Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
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Sir:

AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action mailed on: 07/12/2005,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as follows:

Paragraph beginning on Page 1, at line 13, has been canceled as  
follows:

~~U.S. patent 4,753,935 to Peter H. Nelson et al. disclosed a process for making mycophenolate mofetil by first reacting mycophenolic acid (MPA) with thionyl chloride to be an acyl chloride of the MPA, which is then reacted with 2-morpholinoethanol~~